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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 116
AND REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated September 10, 2002, applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified patent application be amended as follows:

In the Claims

Please amend claims 29, 34, 37, 42, 45, 50, 53, 58, 61, and 69 as follows:

29. (Twice Amended) An interactive program guide that provides access to content from a plurality of